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Serial No.: 09/940,471 Examiner: K. Droesch  
Filing Date: August 27, 2001 Group Art Unit: 3762  
Docket No.: 1201.1115101 Customer No.: 28075  
For: POWER SUPPLY FOR AN IMPLANTABLE SUBCUTANEOUS  
CARDIOVERTER-DEFIBRILLATOR

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Dear Sir:

This paper is in response to the Final Office Action mailed March 24, 2004, with a priority response period set to expire on May 24, 2004 and a shortened statutory period set to expire on June 24, 2004. This paper is filed within the set priority period for response such that no extension of time is necessary.

Please consider the following amendments and/or remarks:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 7 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 15 of this paper.

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